

## CHAPTER 209.

## RELATIVE TO EXCEPTIONS.

AN ACT to Repeal Section 2831 of the Code of 1873, and Enact a Substitute Therefor. S. F. 86.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:*

SECTION 1. That section 2831 of the Code of 1873 is hereby repealed, and the following enacted in lieu thereof: Code, § 2831: substitute enacted.

SEC. 2831. An exception is an objection taken to a decision of the court, or party acting as the court, on matter of law. "The party objecting to the decision must do so at the time the same is made (but if decision is on motion, demurrer, or judgment, exception may be taken within three days), and embody his objection in a bill of exceptions to be filed during the term, or within such time thereafter as the court may fix: but in no event shall the time extend more than thirty days beyond the expiration of the term, except by consent of parties or by order of the judge. But in an equitable action tried as such, no bill of exceptions shall be required." § 2831, what and when taken. May be taken in three days, when. When filed. In equitable actions.

Approved, March 30, 1880.

## CHAPTER 210.

## TO REGULATE FIRE INSURANCE.

AN ACT to Secure Policy-Holders in Fire Insurance Companies From Unjust Forfeitures of Policies. Sub. H. F. 157.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:*

SECTION 1. That in every instance where a fire insurance company or association, doing business in this state, shall hereafter take a note or contract for the premium on any insurance policy, or shall hereafter take a premium note or contract which, by its terms, or by any agreement or rule of the company or association, is assessable for the premium due on the policy for which it was given, such insurance company or association shall not declare such policy forfeited, or suspended for non-payment of such note or contract except as hereinafter provided, anything in the policy or application to the contrary notwithstanding. Policy not declared void except as provided in this act.